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DATE:

March 7, 2012

SUBJECT:

Region III Data QA Review

FROM:

Colleen Walling

Region III ESAT RPO (3EA20)

TO:

Rich Fetzer

Remedial Project Manager (3HS31)

Attached is the organic data validation report for the Dimock Residential Groundwater site (DAS:# R33917; SDG: #480-16102-1) completed by the Region III Environmental Services Assistance Team (ESAT) contractor under the direction of Region III EAID.

If you have any questions regarding this review, please call me at (410) 305-2763.

Attachment

TO: #0042

TDF: 03013 Data Validation

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TDF: #02085 Sample log-in processing

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SUBJECT:

Organic Data Validation (Level M3)

Site: Dimock

CASE: R33917, PROJECT: 480-16102-1

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TO:

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ESAT Region 3 Project Officer

OVERVIEW

Case R33917, Project 480-16102-1, from the Dimock site consisted of twelve (12) aqueous samples including two (2) field blanks analyzed for ethylene glycol. All samples were submitted to TestAmerica (TALBUF) for analysis. The sample set contained two (2) field blanks. The samples were analyzed according to Test Methods for Evaluating Solid Waste SW-846 Method 8015B.

SUMMARY

Data were validated according to Region 3 Modifications to the National Functional Guidelines for Organic Data Review, Level M3 and is assigned the Superfund Data Validation Label S4VM (Stage_4_Validation_Manual). Areas of concern with respect to data usability are listed below.

MINOR PROBLEM

• The laboratory employed a four (4) point calibration curve for the analysis of the compounds requested. However, Method 8015B specifies the use of a five (5) point curve. No action was taken by the reviewer based on this deviation from the method.

NOTES

- No positive results were reported in the field samples in this data set. Therefore, no confirmation analyses were required.
- Reported recoveries and Relative Percent Differences (RPDs) in the Laboratory Control Sample (LCS) and Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicate (MS/MSD) analyses of sample HW55 were within control limits.

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Client: Techlaw, Inc.

Project/Site: TechLaw Project No. R33917 (EG only)

Lab Sample ID	Client Sample ID		Matrix	Collected	Received
480-16102-1	FB15		Water	02/10/12 11:21	02/14/12 10:15
180-16102-2	FB16		Water	02/13/12 09:06	02/14/12 10:15
480-16102-3	HW16 5		Water	02/10/12 11:21	02/14/12 10:15
480-16102-4	HW16-P	ng ting	Water	02/10/12 11:37	02/14/12 10:15
480-16102-5	HW16z	つもし	Water	02/10/12 11:22	02/14/12 10:15
480-16102-6	HW274	V 2	Water	02/13/12 10:37	02/14/12 10:15
480-16102-7	HW27z	WH	/ Water	02/13/12 10:38	02/14/12 10:15
480-16102-8	HW36n 🥱	*	Water	02/10/12 10:53	02/14/12 10:15
480-16102-9	HW36n-P		Water	02/10/12 11:02	02/14/12 10:15
480-16102-10	HW54 ">		Water	02/10/12 14:08	02/14/12 10:15
480-16102-11	HW54-P		Water	02/10/12 14:30	02/14/12 10:15
180-16102-12	HW55 A		Water	02/13/12 10:21	02/14/12 10:15

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